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1. Paris chooses Aphrodite as "the fairest." Explain some possible reasons behind his choice.

2. Would it have been wise for Paris to choose a different goddess to receive the golden apple? Explain your answer.

3. *The Odyssey* takes place immediately after the Trojan War and is named after Odysseus, creator of the Trojan Horse. The Odyssey is an epic tale and Odysseus is considered an epic hero. Based upon what you know about the Trojan War and Odysseus, write a paragraph predicting what you think The Odyssey will be about.

4. The gods and goddesses are famous for interfering in the lives of mortals. List three gods or goddesses with whom you are familiar and make some predictions about their possible interference in *The Odyssey*.

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